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DEPARTMENT FOR AF/C -- AMBASSADOR RENDER

E. O. 12356: DECL: DADR  
TAGS: PREL, OVIP, MARR, RW  
SUBJECT: KAGAME DOD INVITATIONAL TRAVEL TO WASHINGTON

1. CONFIDENTIAL -- ENTIRE TEXT.

2. MAJOR MIKE BITTRICK OF DOD/OSD/ISA CALLED CHARGE LATE P.M. NOVEMBER 23 TO INFORM HIM THAT DOD HAS OFFICIALLY INVITED RWANDAN VICE PRESIDENT/DEFENSE MINISTER PAUL KAGAME TO VISIT WASHINGTON IN MID-DECEMBER. DOD WILL FUND TRAVEL AND LODGING/MIE FOR KAGAME AND TWO OTHERS AND PROVIDE SECURITY DURING THE WASHINGTON PORTION OF THE TRIP. BITTRICK REQUESTED THAT WE PROVIDE FULL TRAVEL ITINERARY.

3. IN ABSENCE OF DATT, CHARGE WILL REQUEST AND TRANSMIT

THIS AS WELL AS REQUIRED INFORMATION ON ANY FIREARMS KAGAME'S SECURITY PEOPLE MAY CARRY. SHOULD THE DEPARTMENT WISH TO SCHEDULE MEETINGS WITH KAGAME, BITTRICK WILL BE THE SCHEDULING POC. HE CAN BE REACHED AT 703-697-9753.

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